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said Citty of St. Maryes first taken his corporall oath that the per- Public ticulers of the afforesaid account are truly rated & according to the Record Office, rates & prizes sett & assessed by the Justices impowered thereunto by London. Act of Assembly & that the same were sold & delivered by the order Vol. 731, of the said debtor or his appointment. And that Bona fide without Maryland. fraud the same Liquor for quallity as in his said account he hath From 1694-1702. named & sold the same without any imbasement or mixture other Acts then what was ordered by the said deptor or his consent, which oath so taken shall be certified under the hand of such Justice of the Provinciall or County Court or Allderman of the said Citty before whom the said Oath shall be taken, & delivered to the said deptor before any other security be taken, otherwise the said Bills, Bonds, & all other securities shall be void & a perpetuall barr against the said creditor, other then the said Booke debt legally charged according to act of Assembly as afforesaid, for which Certificate they shall pay to the Clerke the said Justice shall imploy to write the same the Summ of twelve pence sterling, or twenty pounds of tobacco to be allowed them again in the said account sworne to against such deptor, which said debtor shall allso endorse under his hand such Bill bond or other security given with these words an account delivered before the passing of this Bill according to act of Assembly; Provided that this Act shall not hinder such Ordnary keeper from selling for readie mony within doores or without, any Liquor without any account given as is by this act prescribed, but may doe the same as he might have done before the makeing hereoff, any thing in this act to the Contrary thereoff contained in anywise notwithstanding. And be it further enacted by the authority afforesaid that no person or persons inhabiting within this Province not haveing lawfull Lycense, (except before excepted) shall sell by retaile any Cyder Quince drink, or other strong Liquors to be drunk in his or their houses or about his hir or their plantations upon forfeiture of every time he she or they shall be legally convict thereoff the sum of one thousand pounds of tobacco the one halfe thereoff to their Majesties their heirs & Successors for the support of this government the other halfe to the Informer or him or them that shall sue for the same to be recovered in any Court of Reccord within this Province by action of Debt, Bill plaint or Information wherein no Essoin protection or wager of Law to be allowed. And be it further Enacted by the Authority afforesaid by & with the advice & consent afforesaid that no person or persons whatsoever so lycensed to keep Ordnary as afforesaid shall refuse to Creditt any person capable of giveing a vote for ellection of Burgesses in any County within this Province for the vallue of four hundred pounds of tobacco per annum for any accomodation by him vended whereof any such person so capacitated as afforesaid shall have occasion of or require to be accomodated with under the penalty & forfeiture of four hundred pounds of tobacco to be paid by such Ordnary Keeper so refuseing to credit such person as